



**Connecticut Healthcare Associated Infections
Advisory Committee Meeting
Wednesday, September 16, 2015: 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Chauncey Conference Center at Gaylord Hospital
Wallingford, CT**

AGENDA

	AGENDA ITEM	Presenter	Time
	Call to Order		
A.	Review and Approve June 17, 2015 meeting minutes	R. Melchreit	10 min
	Welcome and Introduction of new members		
	Old Business		10 min
B.	CDC Ebola Supplemental Funding to ELC (Epidemiology & Laboratory Capacity) – State Plan to develop and implement Healthcare Infection Control Assessment and Response (ICAR)	L. Backman	
	New Business		
C.	CDC Ebola Supplemental Funding to ELC (Epidemiology & Laboratory Capacity) – State Plan to develop and implement ICAR	L. Backman	90 min
1.	Introduction of new HAI staff	L. Backman/ R. Melchreit	
2.	CDC/ EMORY Ebola Preparedness Training Assessment Hospital Course	L. Backman	
3.	Update and Purpose for assessing CT Hospitals on Ebola readiness: CDC Site Visit	L. Backman	
4.	CDC/CMS Communique: Failure to Report	L. Backman	
5.	Update on Expanding Advisory Committee	L. Backman	
6.	Review final draft of 2010-2014 CT HAI State Plan: comments/additions from HAI committee (due 10/1/15)	D. Dumigan	
7.	Review Summary Report of 2015 CT Infection Prevention Survey	E. Carusillo	
8.	Review preliminary data on Infection Control gaps identified through CMS/State Surveys and inventory of CT healthcare facilities	L. Backman	
9.	Preliminary discussion on CT DPH HAI Outbreak reporting plan	L. Backman/ D. Dumigan	
10.	Schedule of upcoming HAI Trainings	L. Backman	
D.	Upcoming CMS Expansion/reportable HAIs; CRE Surveillance Definition	R. Melchreit	
E.	Dashboard update	R. Melchreit	
	Agenda for Next Meeting		
G.	Agenda Items for next meeting: November 4, 2015 at CHA, Wallingford, CT	R. Melchreit	10 min
	• Update on assessing CT hospitals for Ebola readiness		
	• Review progress on 2015-2019 State HAI Plan (due 10/01/15)		
	• Review progress on inventory of CT healthcare facilities		
	• Review outbreak & HAI reporting and response in CT healthcare facilities		
H.	Adjournment		5 min

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CT HAI Advisory Committee Meeting Call-In Information:

To participate in the meeting from your office, please call:

- Toll Free Number (866) 717-1460
- Participant Passcode: 21750269

2015 Meeting Dates:

- ~~Wednesday, August 5, 2015, 9-11 am, at CHA, Wallingford, CT~~ *Cancelled*
- Wednesday, Sept 16, 2015 9-11 am at Chauncey Conference Center at Gaylord, Wallingford, CT
- Wednesday, November 4, 2015, 9-11 am, at Connecticut Hospital Association (CHA), Wallingford, CT